

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: :  
: Group Art Unit: 2111  
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: Examiner: Glenn A. Auve  
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For: CONTROLLER DEVICE AND METHOD :  
FOR OPERATING SAME (AS :  
AMENDED) :

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AMENDMENT/RESPONSE

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 29, 2006,  
please amend the above-identified patent application as follows: